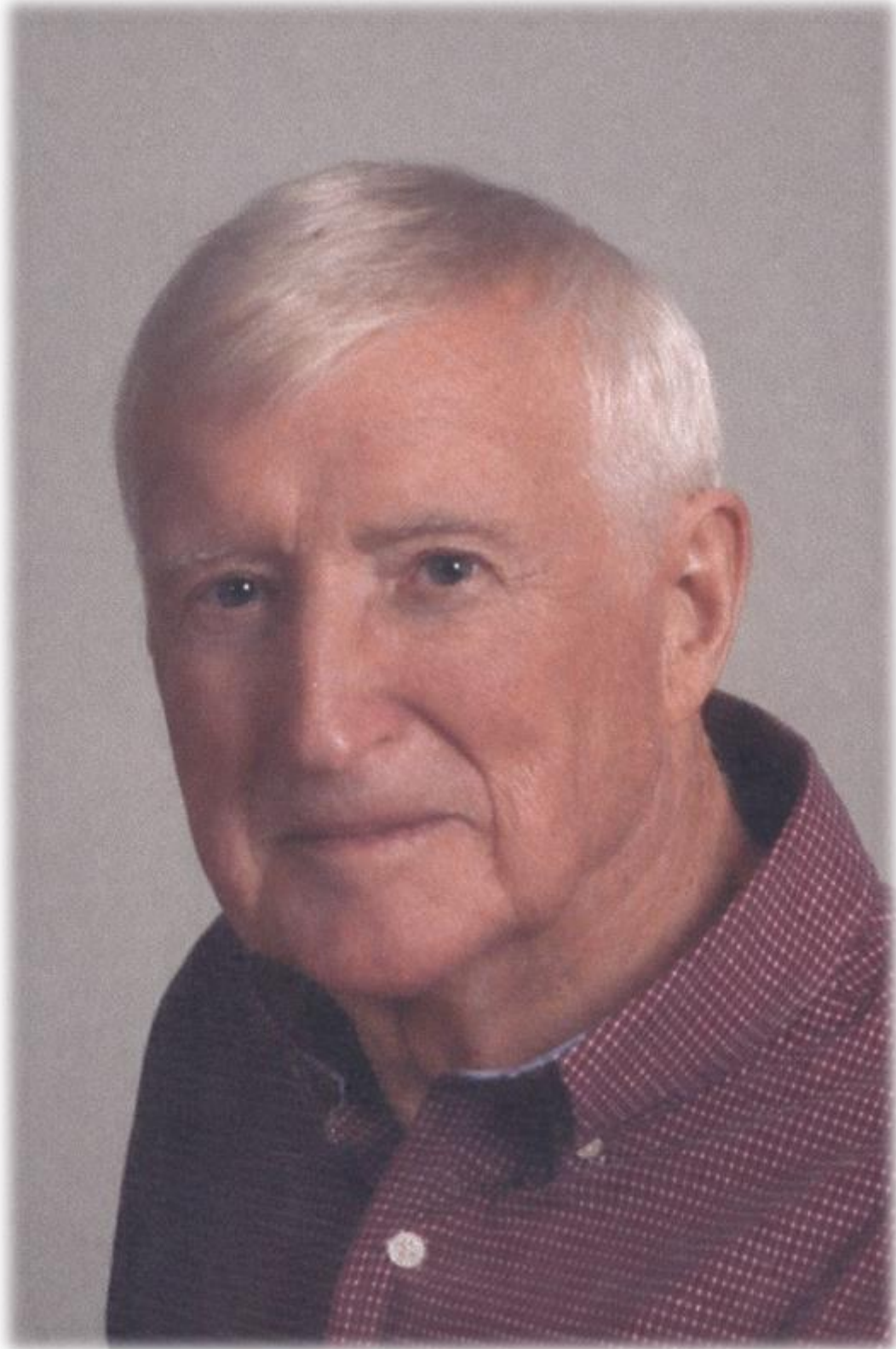


*In Loving Memory of
Dean Roe*



*Born into the world August 21, 1934
Born into eternal life February 9, 2026*

Prelude “The Old Rugged Cross”

Greeting

Call to Worship

One: Hear the promises of God. God is near to all who call, who call from their hearts.

All: The desires of those who fear God are fulfilled; their cries are heard; they are saved.

One: Jesus proclaims: I am the resurrection and the life; all who believe in me, though they die, yet shall they live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.

All: Blessed are the dead who die in Christ. “Blessed indeed,” says the Spirit, “that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!”

One: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

Prayer

One: Let us pray:

All: Almighty God, your mercy is boundless, look upon us in our sorrow and enable us to hear your word...

One: Great God of all mystery, if in the presence of death our thoughts are startled and our words flutter about like frightened birds, bring us stillness that we may cover the sorrow of our hearts with folded hands. Give us grace to wait on you silently and with patience. You are nearer to us than we know, closer than we can imagine. If we cannot find you, it is because we search in far places. Before we felt the pain, you suffered it; before the burden came upon us, your strength lifted it; before the sorrow darkened our hearts, you were grieved. As you walk in the valley of every shadow, be our good shepherd and sustain us while we walk with

you, lest in weakness we falter. Keep us in your way and guide us past every danger; through the mercy of our Good Lord and Savior we pray.

All: Amen.

Hymn #51 "How Great Thou Art"

Reading of Scriptures

Psalm 23

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

One: Let us pray: Merciful God, we thank you for your word; it is a lamp for our feet, a light for our path. We thank you especially that in the night of our grief and in the shadows of our sorrow, we are not left to ourselves. We have the light of your promises to sustain and comfort us.

All: **Through our tears, give us vision to see in faith the consolation you intend for us. In your mercy, grant us the unfailing guidance of your saving Word, both in life and in death; through Jesus Christ our risen Savior we pray. Amen.**

A Celebration of Life

A Word of God's Grace

Solo "On Eagles Wings"

Affirmation of Faith - from Romans 8

One: Let us say again what we believe

All: **We believe there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, and we know that in everything God works for good with those who love God, who are called according to God's purpose. We are sure that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.**

Hymn #500 “Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

We Remember Him

One: At the rising of the sun and its going down,

All: we remember him.

One: At the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter,

All: we remember him.

One: At the opening of the buds and the rebirth of spring,

All: we remember him.

One: At the blueness of the skies and in the warmth of
summer,

All: we remember him.

One: When we are lost and sick at heart,

All: we remember him.

One: When we have decisions that are difficult to make,

All: we remember him.

One: When we have achievements that are based on
his,

All: we remember him.

**As long as we live, he too will live, for he is now
a part of us, as we remember him.**

Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer

Commendation

Song of Simeon

**All: Lord, now let your servant go in peace; your
word has been fulfilled; my own eyes have seen
the salvation which you have prepared in the
sight of every people; a light to reveal you to
the nations and the glory of your people Israel.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to
the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning is now
and ever shall be world without end. Amen.**

Hymn

“I’ll Fly Away”

[Verse 1]

**Some glad morning when this life is o'er,
I'll fly away,
To a home on God's celestial shore,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

[Chorus]

**I'll fly away, oh glory,
I'll fly away, (in the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

[Verse 2]

**When the shadows of this life have gone,
I'll fly away,
Like a bird from prison bars has flown,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

[Chorus]

**I'll fly away, oh glory,
I'll fly away, (in the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

[Verse 3]

**Just a few more weary days and then,
I'll fly away,
To a land where joy shall never end,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

[Chorus]

**I'll fly away, oh glory,
I'll fly away, (in the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by,
I'll fly away. (fly away)**

Benediction

Recessional “God Be With You”

March 14, 2026

Peace United Church of Christ

*Officiants – Rev. Eric Kirkegaard
Rev. Jakob Kröner*

*Musicians – Karla Spaits
Mia Dornacker
Sexton - Steve Spoerl
Video – Brady Flood*

***Everyone is invited to join the family downstairs
for a luncheon and continued fellowship.***

Dean Howard Roe passed away Monday, February 9, 2026, while on Hospice at Froedtert Hospital in West Bend.

Dean was born on August 21, 1934, in Whitewater, Wisconsin to Wilfred and Virginia (nee Howard) Roe. He attended the Spring Brook School in Lima Township, Rock County, Wisconsin. He then went to Whitewater High School, graduating in 1952. He was in the FBLA, FFA (Pres.), participated in two musicals, was in choir, on the track team, and was in the Octet singing group. In 1952 as a senior, he was awarded the American Legion award, the DeKalb award, and achieved the FFA State Farmer Degree.

Dean attended the University of Wisconsin - River Falls, graduating in 1960 with a degree in History and Broad Area Social Studies as well as a degree in Chemistry. Prior to this, Dean was a Chemical Laboratory Technician and then a Metallurgy Laboratory Technician for Minneapolis Honeywell from 1955-1958. He taught Chemistry, Biology and Science. He also coached track and football in the Winner South Dakota High School System. His track team

went to the state meet in 1961 where they dominated the mile relay event.

In 1961, the Roe Family moved 700 miles east to Kewaskum, Wisconsin. There Dean taught American and World History, Economics, and various Social Studies for 30 years before retiring in 1991. He was also the Social Studies Department Chairperson in Kewaskum, Wisconsin for approximately 25 years. He served as a past president of the Kewaskum Education Association and was also a Mentor Teacher at the Kewaskum High School. Dean served the North Central certification procedure in Kewaskum as well as other high schools in Wisconsin. Dean was for many years, an adviser to the Junior Class and the American Field Service (AFS) local organization. Dean wrote the history of the Kewaskum Aluminum Company, as his thesis while attending the University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh in 1971. He received his master's degree in 1972. Prior to that, Dean attended one quarter at the University of Minnesota - Minneapolis and one quarter at Stetson University in Deland, Florida.

Dean married Colleen Adaire Ingli, daughter of Irvin & Evelyn (nee Borchert) Ingli on November 27, 1954, at the Martell Methodist Church in Martell, Wisconsin. They are the parents of Patricia Roe, who is a retired teacher that taught in the area of Special Education and Sign Language.

Dean wrote the following genealogies: Swiss Family Rothenberger, Pioneer Farmers of Wisconsin, Seven Generations in America, and Related families - Borchert, Breseman, Dix, etc. Dean's two trips to Switzerland (Colleen's favorite trip) were such great experiences.

Dean has compiled a very extensive genealogy of the Roe Family and related branches which can be found on Ancestry.com, FamilySearch.com, and FamilyTreeMaker.com. This was a product of his interest in history and storytelling of the lives of his Dutch, German,

Norwegian, Irish, French, Scottish, and English ancestors who settled in America in the 1620's and later.

Dean and Colleen have enjoyed several winter vacations to Arizona, Nevada, California, Texas, Florida, as well as Minnesota, where they owned a second home for seven years. This home was located near their daughter, Patricia, in Worthington, Minnesota.

Dean has served as a trustee on the Kewaskum United Church of Christ Consistory and has served on the Planning Commission for the Township of Kewaskum. He worked summers for over a dozen years for the Wisconsin DNR in the northern unit of the Kettle Moraine as Patrol Officer/Campmaster. He is a past member of the Worthington, Minnesota Kiwanis organization and the Kewaskum Lions Club.

Dean was a special, kind, caring, and gentle person. He was never selfish and always saw the best in everyone. He will be missed.

Dean is survived by his loving wife, Colleen Roe; a loving daughter, Patricia (Trish) Roe; a brother, Donald (Mary) Roe; sister-in-law, Rita (Wayne) Hojem; and many nieces, nephews, and friends.

Dean was preceded in by his parents, Wilfred and Virginia Roe Sr; his brother, Wilfred Roe Jr; and sister, Judith Triebold; his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Irvin and Evelyn Ingli; brothers and sisters-in-law, Marie Roe, Karen Roe, Ted Olson, Shirley and Jim Brown, Ralph and Joan Ducklow and Richard Triebold, and his sister-in-law, Wanda Olson, who passed away on 2/11/2026

Guest book can be found at www.myrhum-patten.com